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of 110 Collins-st., Melb.  
**43 FERGUSON-ST.,  
WILLIAMSTOWN**  
FOR APPOINTMENTS RING  
397-6031.

## Major Expansion at Refinery

**\$26,000,000 is to be spent  
in the next 18 months on the  
expansion and modernisation  
of the Refinery.**

**It will be the first major refinery  
expansion in Australia designed speci-  
fically to process Australian crude oil.**

The Premier, Sir Henry Bolte, announced the  
plans on Tuesday at a conference called in Mel-  
bourne by the Chairman of P.R.A., Mr. Karl F.  
Madsen.

Also present were Altona Shire President, Cr.  
W. L. J. Crofts, and Shire Secretary, Mr. J. W.  
Waters.

Planning and design have already commenced  
and construction will start in 1969. Estimated  
completion date is late 1970.

Kellogg Overseas Corporation have been  
awarded the contract for engineering and con-  
struction of a new 40,000 barrel a day crude  
distillation plant, a 10,000 barrel a day catalytic  
reforming unit, a 23,000 barrel a day naphtha  
hydro treater and expansion of existing utilities  
and service facilities.

Cr. Crofts said he is very pleased with these  
expansion plans which augur well for the future  
of Altona particularly from the rate angle.

He said the company is showing faith in  
Australian industry and the expansion should give  
impetus to industry in the area.

## GOVERNOR ACCEPTS INVITATION

The Governor of Victoria,  
Sir Rohan Delacombe, has  
accepted the invitation to  
proclaim the City of Altona  
on December 21.

Following an official  
luncheon His Excellency will  
make the declaration out-  
side the entrance on the  
southern side of the Civic  
Building.

## MONSTER BONFIRE

The biggest bonfire to be  
lit in Altona will be set  
alight on Apex Park at 7  
p.m. on Saturday night. All  
children and parents are  
welcome.

Apex Park is at the west-  
ern end of the Altona beach  
— between the last house  
and the Explosives Reserve.  
It borders Queen Street  
opposite the entrance to  
Koorringal Golf Club.

## The Colourful "King and I" Cast



On stage at the conclusion of the successful three night presentation of "The King and I" at the Refinery Auditorium last week are pictured the cast of students from Altona North High and producers of the show. More about the production can be read on page 3.

## RATES CAN BE PAID BY INSTALMENTS

**This year, for the first time, ratepayers  
may pay Council rates by four instalments.**

But application to do so  
must be made to the Civic  
Offices.

The majority of Altona  
rate notices have been  
posted.

Rates may be paid, as in  
the past, in a lump sum.

Actually rates are due in  
December but 4 months  
free time till April 10 is  
allowed before interest be-  
comes chargeable.

If paid after April 10, in-  
terest at the rate of 8%  
P.A. dating from the pre-  
vious December will be  
added to the amount owing.

However, ratepayers may  
apply for permission to pay  
in four equal instalments  
due on December 31, Feb-

ruary 28, May 31 and Au-  
gust 31.

Provided each payment is  
made before the due date  
interest will not be charged  
on the two instalments be-  
ing paid after April 10.

The first instalment would  
be paid 14 weeks and the  
second 5 weeks prior to  
April 10.

Of the other two, the  
third instalment is 7 weeks  
and the fourth 20 weeks  
after April 10.

There is no official form  
to fill in seeking permission  
to pay in instalments.

Ratepayers wanting this  
method of payment may in-  
clude the first instalment  
— 25% of the rates — with  
their application.

## Sewer For Some On November 15

**From November 15 the sewer will be avail-  
able to certain areas of Altona South.**

There have been no hold-  
ups in construction of the  
purification plant which is  
to begin operating in No-  
vember as originally  
planned.

Already some property  
owners have letters from  
the Board of Works inform-  
ing them of the availability  
of the sewer.

Owners have received  
forms to be completed and  
returned with the requisite  
fee to the Board.

On receipt of the form the  
Board will produce a plan  
and consent will be pre-  
pared and issued to the

owners — enabling them to  
engage a plumber to con-  
nect properties to the sewer.

Work is nearly complete  
on the first two areas being  
connected to the sewer  
main which runs around the  
swamp to Maidstone Street  
and is coming along Civic  
Parade.

A tender for construction  
of the next three areas was  
let by the Board on Tues-  
day.

A main in this area will  
run along Seagull Avenue  
and cut across to pick up  
the main sewer.

Work in this area should  
be completed within one  
year.

But not all properties will  
have to wait one year be-  
fore connection.

As sections of the main  
are finished the sewer will  
become available to nearby  
areas.

## FINAL COPY DEADLINE

The office of the  
"Altona Star" will be  
closed next Tuesday,  
Nov. 5.

To ensure publica-  
tion, copy for insertion  
in next week's paper  
must be received no  
later than 12 noon on  
Monday.

Copy received later  
may not be included in  
this issue.

## OBITUARY

Many residents of  
Altona were saddened  
to learn of the early  
death on October 23  
of Mrs. Hannah (Nan)  
Griffiths of Seaholme  
Avenue, Seaholme.

A popular member  
of the Altona Branch  
of the Country Wo-  
men's Association she  
was elected last No-  
vember for a two year  
term of office as pre-  
sident.

Mrs. Griffiths was  
born at Waterloo, Liver-  
pool, England and was  
a children's nurse.

During the war she  
served in England with  
the Auxiliary Territo-  
rial Service.

With her family,  
Mrs. Griffiths migrated  
to Australia in De-  
cember, 1950.

They lived at Moonee  
Ponds and Frankston  
before coming to Al-  
tona 13 years ago.

Three and a half  
years ago her mother,  
who is blind, came to  
Australia.

Mrs. Griffiths regu-  
larly accompanied her  
mother to the Koo-  
yong Blind Centre.

Here she became a  
helper and aided the  
blind with her craft  
work.

Mrs. Griffiths is sur-  
vived by her husband,  
William, daughter Joan  
(Mrs. John Wisely),  
son David, daughter-  
in-law Donnette, grand-  
children David and  
Jennifer and her mo-  
ther Mrs. Blanche  
Fielding.

## Soccer Club Trophy Winners



Full back Bobby Milloy won Altona Soccer Club's 1968 Best and Fairest award and also the award for the most improved player. Pictured above at the annual presentation night he is shown second from the right displaying his trophies. With him from the left are captain Jim Balish named best club man, John McQueen, Reserves Best and Fairest, and Hans Delamain, Reserves best first year player.

## NEW DRIVE-IN THEATRE

A Hoyts drive-in theatre  
is to be built in Doherty's  
Road, Altona North.

It will be next to the  
Myer bulk store and oppo-  
site the new entry into the  
Crematorium.

The area is zoned light  
industrial in the Master  
Plan and the light indus-  
trial development would be  
covered by the usual re-  
quirements. Drive-In The-  
atre is a permitted use in  
a light industrial zone. The  
proposal is to subdivide the  
land into two Lots so that  
the southern light industrial  
land will be serviced by  
a service road 66 feet wide  
which will also be the entry  
road into the Drive-In  
Theatre. This road will be  
more or less opposite the  
new entry to the Cremato-  
rium in Doherty's Road.  
(Plan on display board).

The Shire Secretary says  
that the road as shown on  
the plan to allow access to  
Lot 2 will be replaced by  
an easement of way through  
Lot 1 to allow access to  
Lot 2. There will be no  
road as shown on the plan.  
The owners of the land  
have agreed to construct  
the easement of way within  
53 weeks.

## EDITORIAL

### MR. J. W. WATERS

When Altona is proclaimed a city few will deny that Mr. J. W. Waters has every reason for self satisfaction. His record as Shire Secretary does not need to be told. It is known.

It has been published that for the first time in the history of the Shire, Mr. Waters has missed a Council meeting through illness.

When through illness, holidays or municipal business elsewhere he is not present at Council, his absence is certainly felt.

While Mr. Water on all counts has been a notable Shire Secretary, he has been more than that. He has been a true citizen of Altona and all that implies.

A qualified lay preacher he has been an elder of the Presbyterian Church for many years. Mr. Waters attended the first Presbyterian Church service held in Altona and since its inception has been secretary of the Board of Management and also an elder of the Altona Church.

He attended the first meeting of Altona Rotary and was a Charter member at its foundation in 1963.

He was a director of the Board and is a past vice president and president.

Mr. Waters' practical and theoretical knowledge of local Government administration could not be ignored by others with similar interests.

He is State president of the Institute of Municipal Administration.

He has been on the group's executive for six years, has been a Victorian delegate to Federal Council, and is a junior vice-president of Federal Council.

Mr. Waters is also a lecturer and examiner in Local Government Law.

Altona has been fortunate in having Mr. Waters as Shire Secretary since the inception of the Shire. We have every assurance that he will serve as well as Town Clerk.

And much of what we say of Mr. Waters could be said of the Shire Engineer, Mr. R. C. Simmons, and Deputy Shire Secretary, Mr. H. Trueman and other executive officers.

They have all contributed much to the administration of the Shire and to the image of Altona.



MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4 —

## CUP EVE DANCE

8 p.m. - 1.30 a.m.

TICKETS \$2.50

SUPPER CHICKEN IN A BASKET.

All Tickets to be obtained by Thursday, October 31.

LUNCHEON AND TEAS AVAILABLE AT CLUB

FRIDAYS — 5.30 p.m. to 7.30 p.m.

SATURDAYS — 11.30 a.m. to 1.30 p.m. and 5.30 p.m. to 7 p.m.

## COUNCIL TO PROTEST OVER RATES ON S.E.C. PROPERTIES

**Altona Council plans to protest against the State Government moves to ensure that municipalities cannot charge rates against State Electricity Commission properties.**

It agreed on this at last Monday night's meeting after receiving a letter from Mr. J. D. Fagan, secretary of the Municipal Association of Victoria.

Mr. Fagan's letter read: "Would you please note that the State Government, through the Minister for Fuel and Power, the Honourable J. C. M. Balfour, M.P., has introduced into the Legislative Assembly a Bill to amend the State Electricity Commission Act, 1958.

The Bill arises from a decision given by Mr. Justice Gillard of the Supreme Court of Victoria, upheld by the High Court of Australia, that the State Electricity Commission is liable to pay municipal rates in respect of land which it occupies and holds the fee simple thereof. The originator of the action was the City of South Melbourne.

It is proposed in the Bill that Crown land and land vested in fee in the Commission, which is unoccupied or used for the purpose of the Commission's legislation, shall not be and be deemed never to have been rateable property within the meaning of the Local Government Act, 1958. It is further proposed that the Commission shall pay councils an amount in lieu of rates in respect of premises where the Commission carries on the business of trading in electrical appliances. Payments in lieu of rates shall be the amount agreed to by the Commission and the Council concerned. In default of agreement, the amount will be determined by the Valuer-General.

The latter portion of the Bill merely transcribes into statutory form ex gratia payments which arose originally from representations made by this Association to the then Minister in Charge of Electrical Undertakings, the Honourable G. O. Reid, M.P., in 1956. I am to inform your Council that the Legislative Committee of the Association is extremely disappointed that the Government, whilst indicating its intention to come to grips with the problem of property exempt from rating, has seen fit to bring forward a legislative proposal to exempt from rating a State undertaking which the highest legal tribunal in Australia unanimously held to be rateable.

The Legislative Committee in opposing this Bill invites Councils to express their views to parliamentary members for the district on the measure before Parliament and also the growing number of non-rateable properties about which State Governments over the years have shown a surprising inability to tackle as compared with the current haste in seeking to negate a successful action by a council against a State undertaking whose rateability has never been in doubt in the view of this Association and its legal advisers.

According to the Parliamentary notice paper, the second reading debate in the Legislative Assembly is scheduled for resumption on Tuesday, October 22 next.

## NEW PRESBYTERIAN MINISTER

Rev. Athol J. Ridgway of Ascot Vale, will be inducted into Altona Charge at a Service at the Presbyterian Church on Friday night at 7.55.

After the service, a social hour will be held when welcomes will be extended by the Shire President, Representatives of the Church's organisations and by other Churches, to Rev. and Mrs. Ridgway and family of four sons and a daughter.

## NEWS AROUND TOWN

Berkeley Crescent, Bryan Avenue, Paproth Grove, Windsor Crescent, Hatherley Grove, Gilligan Road, Allan Street, Short Street and Mills Street — Private

Street Scheme No. 97: The spreading and consolidation of emulsion stabilized fine crushed rock was completed. Final surfacing with bituminous concrete is in progress.

Bracken Grove, den Duik Avenue, Myrtle Grove and Wilga Avenue — Private

Construction of vehicular crossings was completed. The spreading and consolidation of emulsion stabilized fine crushed rock was completed.

Chambers Road — South of McArthur's Road: Construction of drainage pits was completed.

The construction of kerb and channelling is about to be commenced.

Millers Road — Divided

Construction of concrete kerb and channelling and kerbing for the median between the entrance of P.R.A. and the northern embankment of the bridge over Kororoit Creek was completed.

The pavement over the same length was completed except for the final bituminous concrete surfacing.

Doherty's Road: Excavation of the road bed and spreading of crushed rock for the base course was continued. The laying of underground drains was commenced.

Paw Paw Road, Clelland Road, Pearl Street: Temporary formations in Paw Paw Road, Clelland Road and Pearl Street were improved.

Millers Road Bridge: Pouring of the concrete deck was completed. Hand-railing at the southern end of the bridge is nearing completion.

## LOCAL GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT

### Petition for Proclamation of the Shire of Altona as a City.

In pursuance of the provisions of the Local Government Act 1958, as amended, the substance and prayer of a petition presented to His Excellency the Governor-in-Council in accordance with Section 20 of the said Act, are published viz:

The petition of the President, Councillors and Ratepayers of the Shire of Altona sheweth that the said municipality:

- (a) is substantially urban in character;
- (b) has a population of at least ten thousand inhabitants; and
- (c) in the year ended on the thirtieth day of September last past yielded a revenue from general and extra rates of not less than One hundred and sixty thousand dollars (\$160,000.00).

The petitioners therefore pray that His Excellency the Governor-in-Council, in exercise of the powers and authorities contained in Section 18 (1) (k) of the Local Government Act 1958, as amended, will proclaim the municipality of the Shire of Altona to be a City to be known as the CITY OF ALTONA.

**R. J. HAMER,**  
Minister for Local Government.  
Local Government Department,  
MELBOURNE.

## High School Mothers' Club Activities

The Altona High School Mothers' Club is holding a games afternoon on Monday, November 4, at 1.30 p.m. at "The Homestead", Queen St., Altona. Members are asked to bring along a plate of cakes or sandwiches.

The next meeting of the Mothers' Club will be on November 12, at 1.30 p.m. at the High School, not on the 5th, as this is Cup Day. On Tuesday, November 19, the Mothers' Club is holding a Flower Beauty Demonstration at 4 Lindwood Avenue, Altona, at 1.30 p.m. Donation is 30c. and everyone will be welcomed.

## CARETAKER'S RESIDENCE FOR HIGH SCHOOL

Tenders have been called and closed on Tuesday for the erection of a caretaker's residence at Altona North High School. The Hon. A. W. Knight, M.L.C., advises that the Public Works Department is now considering the tenders. "This has been a long over-awaited measure by Altona North High School and I know that the Principal and various School Committees have received this news with great interest," said Mr. Knight this week.

## TABLE TENNIS WESTERN SUBURBS ASSOCIATION

Summer Penant: Round 4 of the current Summer competition provided the best A grade match of the season so far. Indeed, it could be classed as a preview of the final series, so closely matched were the teams. Jim Montgomery starred for Altona (Montgomery, E. Veiss, K. Bradie, A. Walker) in their contest with Williamstown (D. Dixon, P. Whelan, R. Anderson, K. Lambert). Ken Bradie and Peter Whelan fought out an interesting duel, with Whelan winning 22-20, 16-21, 22-20. Williamstown, more even on the night, won 7/4. In D4, Williamstown (Ray Campbell, M. Clutterbuck, Wendy Bearpark) defeated Altona North (S. Perry, J. Reece) 6/13/4/11 to 5/12/4/65.



## Church Notices

### BAPTIST

Sargood Street, Altona  
Cordially welcomes you to all meetings.  
Services: 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Communion: First Sunday morning and Third Sunday evening.  
11.30 a.m.: Junior Christian Endeavour.  
2.30 p.m.: Intermediate Christian Endeavour.  
7 p.m.: Evening Service.  
Minister—Pastor R. J. Reynolds, 62 Blyth Street, Altona.  
Telephone: 398 2829

### CATHOLIC

St. Mary's  
Railway Street, Altona  
Masses

Sundays: 7.30, 9 and 10.30 a.m.  
Holy Days: 7, 8 a.m. and 6 p.m.  
First Fridays: 7 a.m. and 6 p.m.  
Saturdays: 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Confessions  
Eve of Holy Days: 7 p.m.  
Eve of First Fridays: 7 p.m.

First Friday (Maltese): 4 and 5.30 p.m.  
Rev. Father J. Nooney, P.P.  
Rev. Father M. Kelleher.  
St. Mary's Presbytery, Railway Street, Altona. Telephone 398 2964.  
St. Joseph's Convent, Sargood Street, Altona. Telephone 398 2686.

### Queen of Peace

Laverton  
Masses  
Sunday: 7.30 a.m.; 9.45 a.m.; 5.00 p.m.

Weekdays:  
Monday, 10.30 a.m.;  
Wednesday, 4.30 p.m.;  
Thursday, 7.30 p.m.;  
Friday, 6.15 p.m.;  
Saturday, 8.00 a.m.  
Confessions: Before and after Mass.  
Fr. V. Rubeo, 21 Ulm Street, Laverton — 399 1620

### St. Leo's

Corner Mason Street and Fourth Avenue, Altona North

Masses  
Sunday: 7.30, 9, 10, 11 a.m., and 6 p.m.

Confessions  
Saturday: 10 a.m., and 7 p.m.

Rev. Father J. Kierce, P.P.,  
Rev. Father M. Sultana, Rev. Father G. Calleja, St. Leo's Presbytery, 315 Mason St., Altona North, 3025.  
Telephone: 391 3219

## CHURCH OF ENGLAND

St. Eanswythe's  
Queen Street, Altona

Sunday Services  
8 a.m.: Holy Communion.  
9.30 a.m.: Holy Communion (first, third and fifth Sundays). Matins (second and fourth Sundays).  
7 p.m.: Evensong.

Sunday School  
Sundays at 9.30 a.m.  
VICAR — The Rev. John Lawley, The Vicarage, 7 Bent Street, Altona.  
Telephone: 398 1005

### St. Clements

First Sunday in the month: Family Service.  
VICAR — Rev. Eric Weber, St. Thomas' Church, Werribee.

## ENGLAND CHURCH OF

St. Luke's  
Cnr. Blackshaws and Millers Roads, Altona North  
Holy Eucharist  
Sunday: 9.30 a.m.  
Sunday School: 9.30 a.m.  
VICAR — The Rev. Alan Baxter, 408 Blackshaws Rd., Altona North  
Telephone: 314 7883

## MARTIN LUTHER CONGREGATION

Melbourne  
25 The Broadway, Altona North  
Welcomes you to Services every second and fourth Sunday of the month at 10 a.m.

MINISTER —  
Pastor H. Blasius  
Telephone 391 2609

## METHODIST

Seves Street, Altona  
Sunday  
Sunday School: 9.45 a.m.  
11 a.m. and 7 p.m.: Divine Worship.

Cnr. Marion Street and Sixth Avenue, Altona North  
Sunday  
11 a.m.: Divine Worship.

Goble Street, Laverton  
(Held in Church of England Hall, Goble Street, Laverton.)  
3 p.m.: Divine Worship.

MINISTER — Rev. A. D. McGregor, 61 Synott Street, Werribee.  
Telephone: Werribee 116

## PRESBYTERIAN

241 Civic Parade, Altona

Minister—Mr. Bert Edwards  
Telephone: 34 1430  
Sunday Services  
9.15 a.m. Young Church and Worship.  
Interim Moderator—Rev. A. I. Absalom,  
Telephone: 397 5473

9 Paringa Road, Altona North

11 a.m.: Worship Service.  
League of Young Workers share in the Worship from 11 to 11.30 a.m.  
Minister — Mr. W. A'Drain, The Manse, 11 Paringa Rd., Altona North  
Telephone 314 5179

## ARMY SALVATION

Queen Street, Altona  
Sunday —  
11 a.m.: Holiness Meeting.  
7 p.m.: Salvation Meeting.  
Thursday —  
2 p.m.: Women's Home League.

Civic Parade, Altona

Sunday —  
9.30 a.m.: Combined Sunday School (Primary-Junior) BIBLE CLASS.  
Tuesday —  
5 p.m.: Corps Cadets.  
Wednesday —  
3.30 p.m.: Children's Club.  
Captain: Kenneth M. Aumont.  
108 Queen Street, Altona.  
Telephone: 398 1750.



## PHILLIPS - WRIGHT WEDDING VETERAN CAR CARRIES BRIDE TO WEDDING



Mr. Ian Dwight Phillips and his bride, the former Jeanne Marion Wright, beside the veteran car — a 1928 De Soto — which carried the bride to St. Augustine's Church, Melbourne, and after their marriage, brought the couple to the reception at the Civic Hall, Altona.

The ceremony, last Saturday, was celebrated by Nuptial Mass. The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. & Mrs. J. Wright of Irwin Avenue, Altona North, and the groom the youngest son of Mr. & Mrs. R. E. Phillips of Guildford, N.S.W.

An old English style Empire line lace ribbon gown with a full length train was worn by the bride. Her head was covered by a scalloped hood of the same material of the gown. She carried gardenias and lilly of the valley.

The four bridesmaids, the bride's three sisters, Adeline, Margaret and Elizabeth and friend Sandra McCommond wore pale mauve ottoman silk frocks. Adeline made all the bridesmaids' dresses.

Best man was Mr. Frank Lourey and the groomsmen, the groom's brother Bruce, Wayne Nelson and Richard Nitz.

The bride's mother wore a white crochet dress beneath a red crimplene coat and carried red accessories. The groom's mother chose to wear a turquoise lace ensemble with navy blue accessories. The groom's parents came from Sydney for the wedding.

The couple are touring to Perth for their honeymoon, where they intend living.

## ALTONA NORTH HIGH SCHOOL "THE KING AND I" BY TELMAH

Those who know "The King and I" would not be disappointed by Altona North High School's production which ran at Refinery Hall from Thursday to Saturday of last week.

Everything was there — the humour, engendered by the King's touchy understanding of the nuances of English, his fascination for Anna's vexed "et cetera, et cetera, et cetera"; his stubborn refusal to recognize Anna's subtle reference to the wrongs of slavery as applicable to himself, his failure to understand that "President Lingkonk" did not need elephants and his good-natured gesture in wanting to send only male elephants to America, a matter for Anna to "fix-up" so that breeding could take place.

The performances provided us with a pleasant "puzzlement" for pondering. How could a cast in which there were but three real voices, those of Lynne Box as Anna, Maura Romano as Tuptim, and Ken Tester as Louis, carry a musical comedy? The answer would appear to lie in the dedication of the principals to their task — so involved were the players in the business of acting that vocal quality just did not matter. Couple this dedication to sound musical accompaniment, inventive sets, good costumes and excellent choreography and the result is a worthwhile contribution to school theatre.

Lynne Box lent to her part a sincere interpretation based on a fine sense of feeling for the role. As we said involvement was the key note and Lynne certainly enveloped herself in the character of Anna and this together with a pleasing voice made her memorable. No less "lost" in his part was Alan Kennedy who, though not really gifted vocally proved to be, in the spirit of the part, "a strong king". He and Anna were professional to say the least especially in the scene

where he was to whip Tuptim.

Maura Romano was a delightful Tuptim aided by a clear, natural voice. Denis O'Loughlin seemed to enjoy his role as Lun Tha, even if he showed wry amusement at rather inappropriate moments.

Lesley Odgers as head wife, Lady Thiang gradually overcame her nerves to give a competent performance while Chris Babbich as Prince Chulalongkorn, Ken Tester as Louis, David Sutton as The Kralahome and Eugene Milograd as Captain Orton filled their roles adequately providing the production with the depth so necessary for success. Michael Clancy with assistance from his monologue proved to be a "very interesting" scene-stealer as Sir Edward Ramsay.

The choreography for the "Uncle Tom's Cabin" ballet is worthy of special mention. On a stage which was a little restrictive, we were treated to a novel sequence in which Veronica Kochan as the slave Eliza stood out.

On the debit side, some minor points arose only from a lack of experience. When we consider that this was in fact the stage debut of most of the cast, we can look forward hopefully that time will ensure that comic lines are not thrown away over audience applause as they were on a few occasions and that some of the distracting hand movements will also disappear, while cues will be recognized more readily. In general, though, gestures and facial expressions compensated for most nervous mannerisms. All in all, "The King and I" was a rewarding theatrical experience. Congratulations to the cast.

## LIFE SAVERS' CABARET

Altona Life Saving Club Cabaret will be held on Saturday, November 23. Tickets at \$2.75 each can be obtained from club president Mr. H. Kip and from members of the social committee.

## PALMER - SHAW WEDDING

Monsignor Bernard O'Regan, friend of the Shaw family, officiated at the marriage of Jillian Joy Palmer with Brian Shaw at St. Mary's Church, Ascot Vale, on October 19.

The groom is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shaw of Fitzgeralds Road, Laverton.

The bride, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Palmer of Dandenong, wore a satin ribbed classical gown and carried a bouquet of carnations. Her elbow length veil was held in place by a pill box hat.

Matron of Honour, Mrs. Eileen O'Halloran, and one of the bridesmaids, Carmel Shaw, are the groom's sisters. Maureen Brown was the other bridesmaid.

They wore gowns of blue striped tulle and carried African daisies tied with bows of the same material.

Best man was the groom's brother-in-law, Eddie O'Halloran, his brother Michael Palmer and the bride's brother Patrick Shaw were groomsmen.

Bronze accessories were worn by the bride's mother with her lime green ensemble. The groom's mother chose to wear burgundy with her pink frock and jacket.

## Salvation Army Band to Play in Altona

The Salvation Army Band will play on Logan Reserve on the afternoon of Monday, February 16, 1969.

It will be the Territorial Staff Band under Bandmaster Scott and Colonel Goffin.

## STREET STALL DATES

November 2: Brooklyn Guides and Brownies, The Circle.

November 8: Baptist Ladies Guild, Pier Street; and Altona North Kindergarten, Borracock Sq.

November 23: 2nd Brooklyn Guides, The Circle.

## St. Eanswythe's Bazaar

The Anglican bazaar held in St. Eanswythe's Hall last weekend resulted in the fine total of \$463.50 being paid towards general church funds and the new buildings.

Thanks are given to all those people who supported the bazaar as donors of time and goods, helpers and customers.

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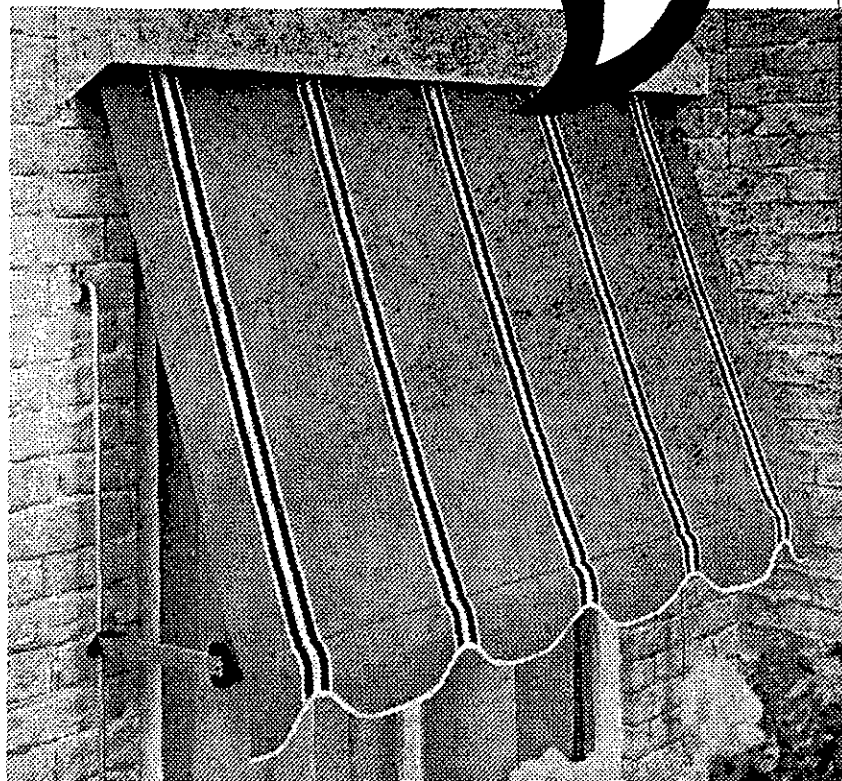
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## COUNCIL TO PREPARE TURF WICKET

The Shire Council will assist with  
preparation of the Altona Cricket  
Club's wicket on Grant Reserve.

Each week Council staff will spend 4 hours  
— an hour each on Monday, Tuesday, Wednes-  
day and Thursday — working on the wicket.

The decision was made by the Council's  
Works Committee and ratified at last Monday's  
Council meeting.

A deputation consisting of  
Mr. F. Kirk, President, Mr.  
R. Duckett, Treasurer, and  
Mr. G. Hosken, Secretary,  
attended the committee  
meeting on behalf of the  
Altona Cricket Club.

Cr. Burns welcomed the  
deputation and introduced  
members to Councilors.

Mr. Kirk advised that the  
Altona Cricket Club have  
an ambition to within two  
to three years to have a side  
in the Sub-district Competi-  
tion. The turf wicket used  
by the Club would be the  
worst in the Competition.  
Members have not the  
time to spend on the pre-  
paration. The Council has  
done all it has been asked  
to do in the past but the  
required watering, cutting  
and preparation takes up  
considerable time, and it  
has been found that the  
members are unable to keep  
the wicket up to a good  
standard. Preparation starts  
on Thursday night for Sat-  
urday's match and it is  
impossible to keep it up to  
a calibre required in the  
competition.

Mr. Duckett advised that  
the Club is looking ahead  
and desires that the wicket  
be in first class order, as  
next year they could be  
fielding 4 senior sides in the  
Competition, as against  
three sides this year. The  
membership of the Club has  
increased and the Commit-  
tee consider that there is a  
lot more strain on personnel  
making wickets as these are  
players that are playing in  
teams each Saturday. He  
has noted that the Council  
estimate that it would re-  
quire one man one day per  
week, but he considered it  
could be more than that and  
possibly cost the Council  
up to \$500 per year.

Because Grant Reserve  
was on the same ground as  
the Council Depot access to  
equipment could be easily  
made. Other Councils in a  
similar position maintain  
cricket wickets and it ap-  
pears that not much extra  
work is involved.

He considered that a turf  
wicket could be brought up  
to standard and the mini-  
mum amount of work re-  
quired would be one hour  
per day Monday, Tuesday,  
and Wednesday, and two  
hours on Thursday.

The Cricket Club have  
been before the Council  
each year with the same re-  
quest. There is a genuine  
difficulty in maintaining the  
turf wickets and the Coun-  
cil can be assured that the  
Club is not trying to get  
out of work.

Mr. Hosken stated that  
over the past three years,  
the Altona Cricket Club  
have promoted the Altona  
name in winning several  
premierships. The Club has  
provided wickets and faci-  
lities at the pavilion. It is  
disappointing to see the turf  
break up after only two  
hours of play on Saturday.  
The chairman thanked the  
deputation and the members  
withdrew.

Crs. Lynch and Grant  
moved "that the Council  
staff spend 4 hours per week  
of preparation of the turf  
wicket on Grant Reserve as  
requested by the Altona  
Cricket Club".

Cr. Richards said that the  
Cricket Club had stated that  
5 hours would be sufficient  
to maintain the wicket and  
felt that the Council should  
be prepared to only go half  
way.

Cr. Richards moved an  
amendment "that the Coun-  
cil Staff assist in the pre-  
paration of the turf wicket  
on Grant Reserve for 2½  
hours per week".

This lapsed.

Cr. Burns stated that he  
opposed the motion and sug-  
gested that as the cost of  
maintaining the wicket would  
be approximately \$15 per  
week as estimated by the  
Shire Engineer, a gift of  
\$300 per year could be given  
to the Club on condition  
that they maintain their

## LETTERS TO EDITOR

Dear Sir —

A very shrewd Altona  
public over recent years  
have dumped (with one ex-  
ception) the Labor men  
who once controlled the  
Council.

Now led by an economic  
wizard and supported by a  
team of business men with  
economic know how, Altona  
should be set for some sort  
of economic miracle.

But wait! something must  
have gone wrong, my rate  
bill is higher this year, my  
neighbour has the same  
complaint, how can this pos-  
sibly be? After all the  
economic brains trust now  
running Altona were over-  
whelmingly elected to office  
because of the impression  
quite deliberately created  
that under their manage-  
ment rate bills would not  
rise.

But I believe in giving  
credit where it is due, full  
marks to our new look  
Council for charging 20 cents  
per trailer load for rubbish  
dumped on the Blackshaws  
Rd. tip.

Why should Altona's rate-  
payers be able to clean up  
their houses and race up  
Blackshaws Rd. to the tip  
to indulge in an orgy of  
dumping at no cost to them-  
selves?

I believe that rubbish  
dumping is a filthy habit  
and like our Councilors I  
think that it should be dis-  
couraged.

MALCOLM McDONALD,  
23 Begonia Ave.,  
Altona North.

Dear Sir —

A letter to the Altona  
Star last week announced  
that Dr. J. F. Cairns had  
the A.L.P. endorsement for  
Lalor which includes Altona.

During the same week  
considerable publicity in  
the daily press and on "This  
Day Tonight" was obtained  
by Dr. Cairns when he  
identified himself with the  
High School Student under-  
ground movement.

It was the underground  
newspapers that caused such  
dissensions at Melbourne  
High School, leading to the  
suspension of a young stu-  
dent.

This prompts the question:  
What is likely to follow  
in our own electorate when  
Dr. Cairns starts his cam-  
paign here?

It is unlikely that Altona  
people will appreciate young  
high school students being  
influenced by a particular  
line of politics; nor will  
they appreciate the disrup-  
tions and loss of discipline  
which follows distributions  
of underground newspapers  
printed by the Monash Uni-  
versity Labor Club.

Unless I misjudge the  
people of Altona, they will  
want their schools to be as  
independent of party poli-  
tics as is their Altona Coun-  
cil.

Yours faithfully,  
Mrs. E. SANDERS,  
191 Maidstone St., Altona.

## ALTONA WEST STATE SCHOOL MOTHERS' CLUB

The next meeting of the  
Altona West State School  
Mothers' Club will be held  
at the school, on Thursday,  
November 7, at 8 p.m.

All Mothers are welcome  
to attend.

own wicket.

The motion that Council  
staff spend 4 hours per  
week on preparation of the  
wicket was put to the vote  
and carried.

## Water Wastes to be Tested

A Melbourne bacteriolo-  
gist, Mr. C. D. Parker has  
been asked to draw up a  
plan for testing the wastes  
that pour into the bay from  
Altona.

He will draw up a plan  
for testing the wastes that  
come out of Kororoit Creek,  
Civic Pde drain, Mulga St.  
drain and the No. 2 puri-  
fication plant.

He will present the sug-  
gestions to the Shire Coun-  
cil.

Mr. Parker is a Bacte-  
riologist and Chemist and  
had at one time been em-  
ployed by the MMBW.

He now has his own  
business and is conversant  
with problems associated  
with the discharge of efflu-  
ent into the bay.

Mr. Parker is a member  
of the World Health Or-  
ganisation and has done a  
lot of work connected with  
petrochemical com-  
plexes and he feels sure  
that he will be able to  
comment on the particular  
problems with effluent dis-  
charge when a survey is  
made.

## OVERPASS PLANNED FOR MILLERS RD.

Millers Rd. may get an overpass across the  
Geelong railway line in 1970.

This is five or six years  
sooner than dates men-  
tioned in the past.

The new date has been  
mentioned by the Transport  
Minister, Mr. Wilcox, in a  
letter to the Shire Council.

He said he had been  
given the date by the  
chairman of the Abolition  
of Level Crossings Com-  
mittee.

The land necessary for  
the overpass is to be ac-  
quired during the current  
financial year.

This is Mr. Wilcox's  
letter:

"As a result of these in-  
spections I confirm that the  
railways will carry out the  
following improvements:

(a) Galvin railway station  
— the station buildings will  
be painted.

(b) Paisley railway sta-  
tion a common toilet faci-  
lity will be installed with  
the Council providing a pan  
service free of charge. The  
station buildings and toilet  
facility will both be painted.

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## CARRIAGES FOR ALTONA TRAIN

(c) Altona line rail ser-  
vice — Mr. Brown has ad-  
vised me that a sliding  
door type carriage is being  
prepared for use on the line  
during off-peak hours. This  
will replace the existing  
swing door carriage at pre-  
sent used and I understand  
should take up running about  
February next year.

So far as grade separa-  
tion at Millers Road, near  
Paisley railway station is  
concerned, I have been ad-  
vised by the Chairman of  
the Abolition of Level Cross-  
ings Committee that work  
on the project is expected  
to commence during 1970.  
As I mentioned during our  
inspection, action towards  
the acquisition of land for  
the grade separation scheme  
is included in the Commit-  
tee's programme for the  
current financial year. I  
am pleased that some posi-  
tive action has been  
achieved."

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## SHIRE PRESIDENT & SECRETARY ATTEND THE ANNUAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION OF VIC.



Shire President, Cr. W. L. J. Crofts and secretary Mr. J. W. Waters recently attended the Annual Session of the Municipal Association of Victoria. Pictured above in the row starting in the bottom left hand corner are: Left to Right, Cr. Alan Lane (executive member) representing the City of Warrnambool, Cr. Lionel Burgoyne, City of Williamstown, Cr. Les Crofts and Mr. Jim Waters.

### Local Swim Ballet to Perform at Victorian Championships

The Pirouettes, an amateur synchronised swimming club, formed in Altona, has been training as a group since February this year. They have now been registered with the Victorian Amateur Swimming Club.

The girls have been invited by the V.A.A. to swim in a display in conjunction with the Victorian Championships, being held on Sunday, November 17 at 10 a.m. at the Olympic Stadium.

The six girls in the display, Marion Dursink, Jeanette Walker, Jean Huisman, Suzanne Antonoff, Deborah Cronin and Kerry Eustace will perform the first routine to the music of "The Syncopated Clock".

The girls are coached by Mrs. Friedl Spacek, who will be competing in the championships. They train every Saturday morning at the Olympic Pool at 8.30 a.m. and any girl interested in synchronised swimming is invited to attend. They can also contact the President, Mr. Dursink or ring Mrs. Spacek at Werribee 686 after business hours.

### Ladies Guild Stall Helped Church Fete

St. Eanswythe's Ladies Guild will hold their next meeting on Wednesday, November 6, at the home of Mrs. Nevitt, 21 Harrington Street, Altona. The Christmas party will be planned at this meeting. The Guild would like to thank all those who worked

### MUSIC SOCIETY PRACTISING FOR SHOW

The Altona Music Society are presenting a Christmas show at the Williamstown Town Hall on December 5 and still have vacancies for male and female choir voices.

Practices are held each Wednesday evening, from 7.9 p.m. in the Homestead, Queen Street. Any interested singers are invited to come along where they will be made most welcome.

The Society's Junior Choir meets each Saturday morning, 9.30-10.30 a.m. in the Homestead and young singers are invited to go along and join.

There will be a street stall in Pier Street on December 21, run by the members of the Junior Choir. Anyone with saleable goods for the stall such as home-made jams, pickles, books, soft toys, etc., would be much appreciated by the members.

Tickets for the Christmas show are now available at 178 Queen St. or from the Homestead at Saturday's practice of the Junior Choir, or from any member of the A.M.S. Prices are: Stalls 60c, balcony \$1. Pensioners and children half price. Special buses will run to and from Altona, leaving Altona West at 7 p.m. and returning at 10.30 p.m.

so hard to make the stall at the Parish Fete a success. A total of \$225.35 was made by the Guild and part of this money was due to the two special efforts. The doll was won by Mrs. Verlander, 28 Davies St., Altona and the painting by Janice Tilt of Maidstone St. At the G.F.S. stall the floral arrangement was won by No. 72, J. Beattie, 93 Queen Street.

### Elderly Citizens News

The regular evening of cards and bowls will be held this Friday, November 1, at the Altona Elderly Citizens Club rooms starting at 8 p.m.

For an entrance charge of 35 cents, supper is provided and a door prize and ladies and gents games prizes.

On Monday, November 4, the social committee will meet promptly at 1.30 p.m.

The monthly dance on the following Saturday, November 9, will commence at 8 p.m. A lucky entrance prize will be awarded, monte carlo prizes can be won and supper will be served.

### SPASTIC AID COMMITTEE TO HOLD STREET STALL

The Altona Spastic Aid Committee will hold a street stall on Saturday, November 2, in Pier Street. Full proceeds are to aid local spastic children and adults. Anyone who would like to make a donation to help this work can leave any goods at 9 Upton Street or take them to the stall. Donors are asked to leave their names and addresses with goods so the donation can be acknowledged.

There will be a variety of goods for sale, fancy goods, toys and odd lengths of brightly coloured taffeta, suitable for slips, doll's clothes, cushions, etc. The winner of the Pink Bride doll, dressed and donated by Mrs. K. Mitchell of 51 Queen Street, Altona, was Vicki Drake, Kennedy Street, Glenroy. The committee wish to thank all those people who supported their work.

### Brooklyn West Mothers' Club News

The next meeting of the Brooklyn West State School Mothers' Club will be held on Tuesday, November 12, instead of the 5th because of the Cup Day holiday.

There will be a cooking demonstration at Sanitarium Health Foods on November 12, from 10.11.30 a.m. Mothers are asked to be at the school at 9.15 a.m. if they are going on this trip.

The building of the canteen is well under way and will be able to provide better canteen facilities for the new year.

### Seaholme School Mothers' Club

The next meeting of the Seaholme State School Mothers' Club will be held at the school on Monday, November 4, at 1.30 p.m. All mothers welcome.

### NEW BRICK HOMES FOR LAVERTON AREA

Twenty-six brick veneer homes are to be built in Laverton and Laverton North area.

The Hon. A. W. Knight, M.L.C., advises that three of these are to be standard type brick veneer homes and twenty-three to be "armed service" type. The cost is \$219,720.00 and the successful tenderer is L. Poulston & Sons Pty. Ltd., of Geelong.

A further tender has been let for the fences, gates and woodsheds for the three standard houses and fences and gates for the twenty-three service homes, at a cost of \$11,390.00.

This latter work is to be carried out by Concrete House Project of Chadstone.

### KEEN BIDDERS FOR HOSPITAL "AUCTION"

There has been keen support to the Footscray and District Hospital "Mock Auction" to be held on November 15, to raise funds to equip the two new wards now being built.

Largest bid so far has come from one of the Western Suburbs largest industrial firms for \$500. Other industries have given indication that they will bid for "parcels" of \$100 and \$200. Considerable support from smaller business concerns start at \$15 to \$20, while one School has intimated their bid will be for \$450.

The Hospital's Appeal Office reports that almost every school in the Western Suburbs will have a representative attend the Auction to make bids for amounts from \$10 upwards.

Community Service Clubs have also responded with various amounts.

These promised "bids" represent a contribution towards purchasing the necessary items needed by the Footscray and District Hospital to equip the new wards which will accommodate sick children and orthopaedic patients.

Private Companies and individuals may also share in this project by ringing any of the following persons who will take their bid for any amount of \$5 and upwards.

Mayor of Keilor, Cr. Eric Alan, 396-2821 (Business).

Altona Shire President, Cr. W. L. J. Crofts, 317 222 Ext. 344 or A.H.: 398-2720.

Mayor of Sunshine, Cr. E. Coulson, 317 222 Ext. 532.

Mayor of Footscray, Cr. E. Bassett, 391-5111 Ext. 3402.

Ted Whitten — A.H.: 391-2262. John Jillard — 68-4771 (Business). Stan Payne — 689-1822.

### ANNUAL OPERETTA

For the last two months the senior children of Altona Primary School have been practising very conscientiously for the Annual Operetta.

The Operetta to be performed this year is "The Princess and the Sorcerer", and will be staged at the Civic Hall, Altona, on the nights, November 27 and 28. Tickets 50c each may be obtained at the Head Master's Office.

### HOSPITAL STREET STALL A SUCCESS

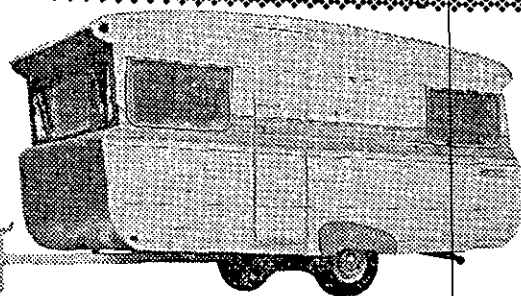
At the street stall held by the Altona District Hospital on October 18, the amount of \$235 was raised.

The winner of the doll competition was white ticket A3, Mrs. Ferry, 33 Alma Avenue, Laverton.

The Matron and nursing staff wish to thank all the people concerned for donations of material and food for the stall.

### FILM NIGHT

The Western Suburbs Region and Sunshine Harold Blair Holiday Scheme have organized a film night and talk by the Director of Aboriginal Affairs, Mr. R. Worthy, at the Sunshine Town Hall at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, November 5.



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### FIRST DEFEAT FOR LADY BOWLERS

Altona ladies number 1 team suffered the first loss of the season in pennant bowls last week.

But they were only narrowly defeated 85-88.

Results were —  
E. Martin, B. Tribe, C. Ford, R. Fisher 19-22.  
B. Davis, V. Turner, J. McNeillage, J. Douglas 15-28.

G. MacKellar, P. Stephens, I. Probert, P. Gischus 17-19.  
M. Dowdell, L. Walsh, E. Olliver, E. Flynn 34-19.

Three of the four No. 2 rinks won and the fourth only went down by one point. Final scores were Altona defeated Strathmore 112-96.

S. Thompson, I. O'Donnell, E. Beyer, M. Richardson 27-21.

I. Mitchell, B. Neal, M. Andress, R. Shaw 26-23.  
B. Dart, K. Bray, E. Russell, W. Neal 32-24.

I. Gibson, V. Douglas, L. Tucker, D. Gadsden 27-28.

Pennant will not be played on Cup Day.

Instead bowlers can play mixed social bowls commencing at 2 p.m.

#### CLUB NEWS:

At the Helen Bridgford tournament held at I.C.I. Bowling Club on October 24, Altona was represented by E. Martin, L. Walsh, P. Gischus, J. Douglas who were defeated by Buckley Park 10-16.

Congratulations to Bill Condon on his fine game of bowls on Sunday.

Home from a week along the Murray River are Alice and John Newton. The fish were biting but when no cooking facilities are available all a fisherman can do with his catch is as fast as he reels them in toss them back in the river.

Members of the Ladies Committee will meet at 1 p.m. on Monday, November 4.

Cleaning roster for November 6 is: B. Dart, I. Mitchell, M. Jacometti.

The Pennant roster for November 2 is: Q. Cox, E.

Martin, G. MacKellar, M. Jacometti.

The ladies for pennant tea roster for November 2: Q. Cox, E. Martin.

Cup Day forms are to be returned by Saturday, November 2.

Gifts are still required for the Christmas Hamper.

Members are asked to bring a plate of sandwiches on Sunday, November 3, when Wonthaggi visits Altona.

### MINI OLYMPICS AT NEWPORT

The Newport Oval next Sunday, November 3, will resemble the arena at Mexico City when 400 children aged between 9-12 years will compete for 2 Perpetual Trophies, a Rose Bowl donated by the Victorian Egg Board and the Lindsay Hassett Shield.

The present holder of the trophies, the Williamstown Little Athletics, comprising 12 clubs from Yarraville, Williamstown and Altona districts will be hosts to representative teams from Sunshine and Coburg.

Competitions of 800, 400 and 200 walking and running, 70 metre sprints, hurdling, high jumping, discus and shot put and other field events will be conducted to a tight time schedule during the afternoon commencing at 1 p.m.

Many exciting finishes and fine performances will be recorded and Williams-town are confident that the team selected will retain these trophies for the 1968/69 season.

Admission to the ground is free and the children would welcome your support.

### Westona Little Athletics Club

The adverse conditions prevailing on Saturday at Newport oval were not inductive to top performances by athletes, but notwithstanding, Westona competitors had the satisfaction of 12 first placings in track events. Field game competitors laboured also, in the conditions, and some events had to be cancelled in certain age groups, for the safety of those scheduled to compete.

Next Sunday the annual triangular meeting between Williamstown, Sunshine and Coburg Centres, takes place at Newport oval. And as last year some fine individual performances were put up by members, it is to be hoped the weather is ideal. Frustrated though they were last Saturday, club members selected to represent Williamstown Centre, will be giving their all next Sunday to uphold the example of last year's selected representatives. The meeting will commence at 1 p.m. on the Newport Athletics Oval, and those readers of this article who are interested in seeing the sport of competing in running, jumping and throwing events are urged to come along.

The twelve first places last Saturday went to the following:

Girls U. 12 — 490m. Walk, G. Rohleder.

Girls U. 9 — 200m. L. Lou Dekker, J. George.

Boys U. 12 — 60m. Hurdles, R. Douglas.

Boys U. 11 — 60m. Hurdles, J. Barrie, B. Dodd.

N. Totney.

Boys U. 10 — 800m. P. Wilsher, G. Rohleder.

Boys U. 10 — 100m. W. Gilpin, S. Penfold.

Boys U. 9 — 100m. M. Barrie.

Committee members: The next committee meeting is to be held at the President's

### Altona East Win Softball Grand Final

Altona East Primary School defeated Seaholme 14-10 in the softball final. Best players were: Debra Baxter 3 runs, Lynda Thomas 3 runs, Anne Tytler 2 runs.

Altona East then played Newport West in the grand final early last week. Innings scores were: 5-2, 0-0, 0-1, 0-0, 2-1, 5-0, 0-1, final scores being 12 runs Altona East defeating Newport West 5 runs.

After gaining an early lead in the first innings, Altona East's batting had a slump over the next 3 innings in which they did not score a run. As a result at the start of their fifth innings, they were only 1 run in front of Newport West.

However, Altona East showed greater concentration in the remaining 2 innings and went away to win convincingly.

Best players were: Debra Baxter, who batted and pitched extremely well. Secondly, Pina Santoro, who hit 3 home runs. Thirdly, Christine Doherty, whose fast pitches proved too much for the Newport West girls.

residence, 18 Merritt Crt., Altona, 8 p.m., October 31.

These are the athletes chosen to represent Williamstown Centre on Sunday, November 3:

BOYS:

S. Williams, P. Wilsher, M. Barrie, I. Van Rangel-rooy, P. Totney, J. Clark, G. Rohleder, A. Douglas, A. Magnobosico, W. Gilpin, B. Dodd, G. Brown, P. Herbert, K. Herbert, C. Spinks.

GIRLS:

G. Rohleder, G. Wishart, J. George, L. Golacki, L. Dekker, A. Wilsher.

### Fine Follows Accident

Found guilty of failing to give way to the vehicle on his right a motorist was fined \$20 with \$6 costs at Williamstown Court last week.

Ronald John Cadman of Mount Street, Altona, pleaded guilty to the charge arising out of an accident at the intersection of Millers and Kororoit Creek Roads, Altona, on June 6.

Constable Geoffrey McMahon of Altona gave evidence of interviewing Cadman on July 2 about the accident. He said Cadman told him he was crossing the intersection and did not see the other car until too late.

Constable Noel Greig testified that he went to the accident. At the time the traffic lights were under repair and were not operating.

Herbert Haynes of Albert Street, Williamstown, told the Court that he was at the intersection at 7.50 a.m. on June 6. He said he saw a car with indicators working to show it was turning right, and behind it 2 other cars. One of the cars collided with him in the intersection.

### KITS FOR VIETNAM

Last Saturday night about twenty young people connected with the Altona Baptist Christian Endeavour Groups gathered to assemble Viet Kits for Vietnam. Because of their efforts well over 90 such kits, namely, hygiene, children's and sewing kits will be sent to Vietnam through the agency of World Vision of Australia. These kits will be distributed to people who have suffered deprivation because of the war.

People interested in learning more or in helping with these kits could write to World Vision of Australia, P.O. Box 399-c, Melbourne, Vic., 3001.

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## ALTONA TENNIS CLUB TEAMS

NOVEMBER 2, 1968  
A Grade v. Rosamond (at Home):  
R. Graham, M. Kelly, R. Walker, Emerg.: C. Trickey, J. Parkinson, J. Butterfield, L. Butterfield, Emerg.: L. Findlay.  
A Reserve 1 v. Diggers (Away):  
C. Trickey, J. Trickey, J. Trickey Snr., Emerg.: I. Harrington, O. Kelly, P. Trickey, L. Hutton, Emerg.: S. Adcock.  
B Special 1 v. Rosamond (Away):  
K. Walsh, F. Heyme, I. Harrington, Emerg.: W. Thomas, S. Adcock, G. Cronin, B. Angus, Emerg.: G. Thomas.

B1 v. Kingsville (Away):  
W. Thomas, G. Russell, R. Snowling, Emerg.: D. White, S. Morrow, M. Orchard, D. Stephenson, Emerg.: J. Walker.  
B2 v. Spotswood (at Home):  
D. White, G. Wood, C. Sutton, Emerg.: G. Crofts, J. Walker, S. Keown, B. Sandilands, Emerg.: B. Walker, D. Crofts.

MATCHES NOV. 3, 1968:  
9.00 a.m.: M. Kelly v. R. Graham (3 set advantage).  
9.00 a.m.: R. Walker v. J. Trickey Snr. (10 game adv.) FINAL.  
10.30 a.m.: B. Sandilands v. J. Walker (8 game advantage).  
10.00 a.m.: O. Kelly v. L. Findlay (10 game advantage).  
11.00 a.m.: Kelly-Harrington v. Trickey-Trickey (10 game advantage).  
A tournament will be held on Cup Day, November 5, 1968. 9.00 a.m. Entry Fee 40 cents.

## JUNIOR TEAMS

Boys 1 v. Yarraville (Away):  
E. Valente, R. Groves, G. Rowe, G. Crofts, Emerg.: M. Penfold.  
Boys II v. Rosamond (at Home):

## Hockey Club Office-bearers

Election of office-bearers for the Altona Hockey Club for 1969 season are:  
Patron: J. K. Grant.  
President: E. R. Symons, 163 Blyth St., Altona.  
Secretary: D. Smith, 34 Laurie St., W. Newport.  
Assist. Secretary: S. Cronin.  
Treasurer: F. Ranger, 28 Myrtle Grove, Altona.  
Vice-Presidents: K. Burgess, R. Ford.  
Executive Officers: J. Studley, A. Baillie.  
Social Secretary: J. Studley.  
Property Steward: W. Smith.  
Social Committee: A. Fry, R. Bruce, B. Smith.

## ALTONA PIGEON CLUB

On Saturday, 3,500 pigeons were released at 5.30 a.m. in south-westerly winds from Cobarr, 430 miles. The first birds into Altona arrived at 5.40 p.m. showing good times, considering the weather conditions.

Results were:  
1st — W. Haigh & Son, 12 hours, 3 min.  
2nd — G. & J. Rattray, 12 hours, 5 min.  
3rd — R. & R. J. Richardson, 12 hours, 38 min.  
4th — Atkinson & McGraw, 12 hours, 56 min.  
5th — J. & N. Walsh, 13 hours, 4 min.

F. Pavatich, A. Willet, A. Smith, M. Penfold, Emerg.: G. McDonald, A. Findlay.

Girls I v. Kingsville (Away):  
J. Critchely, H. Shields, L. Smith, R. Webb, Emerg.: L. Hyde.

Girls II v. V.R. I (at Home):  
L. Hyde, R. Douglas, J. Wise, Y. Robertson, Emerg.: B. Colvin, M. Keown.  
Players unavailable please contact C. Sutton, (398-1572) or J. Trickey (398-2746) and the emergency.

## Bobby Milloy Wins Best and Fairest

Two hundred guests and friends attended Altona Soccer Club's presentation night, including the Shire President, Mr. W. L. J. Crofts and Mrs. Crofts, and Cr. P. Lynch and Mrs. Lynch.

The Soccer Club President, Mr. L. C. Noordenne welcomed the guests to the evening, during which the trophies were presented.

Bobby Milloy, Altona's full back, gained the top award, which is kept secret until the presentation is made. Bobby nearly hit the roof when the announcement was made. He also took off the most improved players' award. Captain Jim Balish was best club man, Billy Ormerod the best first year player and Ian Roberts received the trophy for the best individual performance (against Sunshine City) away from home. He also received his tankard for 50 games in the First eleven. In the Reserves John McQueen was best and fairest. Tony Cassar most improved and Hans Delamain best first year player.

Bouquets of flowers were presented to Mesdames Van Dyke, Spencer and Vanderpoel.

An enjoyable evening was spent dancing with supper provided. The Club Secretary, Mr. J. Collins, thanked the Shire Council for its support and co-operation, also the shop-keepers and business men for the donations which made it possible to present the grand array of trophies which were on display.

## C.C.A. Special Effort

Result of the C.C.A. special effort is:  
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## YOUTH CLUB BREAK-UP NIGHT

A break-up night for the Altona North Youth Club will be held on the last Friday in November, the 29th, and parents are invited and urged to attend. The night starts at 7 p.m. and a light supper will be provided.

Boys and girls of the club will display activities — gymnastics and exercises. A judo and ju jitsu display will be given by the Altona North Judo Club.

## KOORINGAL GOLF CLUB

SATURDAY, OCT. 26, 1968 RESULTS

Stableford:  
"A" Grade — M. Cahill 4/3 35 Points.  
"B" Grade — H. Campbell 16/14 35 Points.  
"C" Grade — M. Murphy 25/19 35 Points.

SUNDAY, OCT. 27, 1968 Mixed Foursomes:  
Best Gross — Mr. R. Patton & Mrs. M. Murphy, 84.

Best Nett — Mr. P. Williams & Mrs. R. Harrison, 67½.

1st Nine — Mrs. C. Fleming & Mr. J. Bell, 31¼.  
2nd Nine — Mr. L. Brooks & Mrs. D. Brooks, 32¼.

Bogey Competition:  
A. Stafford 17/13, plus 4.  
K. Le Ferre, 6/5, plus 2.  
G. Newman 20/15, plus 1.

## WESTERN SUBURBAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE

By SCOTTY McDONALD

The Western Suburban Football League presentation night held on Friday last was an unqualified success. Administrator Keith Hodgson stated that the past season was the best that the League had enjoyed since its inception and was looking forward to even greater success in future years. The League was now firmly entrenched and was steadily expanding.

Indicative of the importance of the occasion was the attendance of a large number of guests which included representatives of surrounding League and Association clubs, Victorian Football Union also parliamentarians and councillors. It was a credit to the Executive, headed by President Mr. J. Dorgan.

Presentations were made to the premiership winners of each grade, Maidstone Open 1st Age, Altona Under 18; Altona Purple Under 16.

Most Efficient Club: Open Age Central Altona; Under 18 R.A.A.F. Laverton; Under 16 Devon Park. Individual trophy winners were, Best & Fairest: Open Age, J. Langan; Under 18, J. Buckley; Under 16, S. Chatfield. Most Outstanding Player in the League: J. Buckley.

In responding on behalf of the visitors Mr. L. Floyd, M.L.A., made special reference to the value that the League played in assisting to train the players in the field of community endeavour.

The very enjoyable evening ended on the keynote of optimism for the future of the League.

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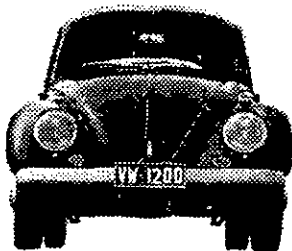
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## By Draw Shot

Well, as predicted in my report last week, the Altona Bowling Club, after the 4th round of Pennant last Saturday, recorded a second win by all teams.

This augurs well for the rest of the Pennant season, so watch out all other bowling clubs we meet this season.

Next Saturday, November 2, the fifth round of Pennant, No. 2 side has a Bye, and a game has been arranged with Fawcner Bowling Club, who also have a Bye, to be played at Altona as a Pennant practice game.

**No. 1 Side Away to Newport**  
J. Mather, R. Watson, J. Newton, G. McNeillage 22-12; A. Molloy, I. Douglas, D. Watters, P. Whitmore 26-18; G. Russell, J. Fisher, D. Nettleton, J. Stephens 17-36; S. Carlton, W. Walsh, W. Crofts, L. Craig 26-23; Total: 91-89.

**No. 2 Side at Home to Aberfeldie**  
L. O'Donnell, W. Condon, W. Probert, H. Blair 24-18; W. Inglis, B. Harrison, K. Address, L. Thorneycroft 25-15; C. McDonald, T. Burke, J. Flynn, R. Douglas 16-29; L. Cox, A. Hill, C. Williams, E. Franks 25-22; Total 90-84.

**No. 3 Side at Home to Footscray Park**  
S. Pilcher, H. Martin, J. Cox, D. McKellar 21-21; J. Carr, N. Richardson, A. Butterworth, J. Clark 19-26; R. Don, F. Nielson, T. McMahon, P. Kelly 32-14; F. Douglas, J. Pugsley, D. Brett, B. Nicholls 18-26; Total: 90-87.

**No. 4 Side Away to Clifton Park**  
E. Roach, M. Deegan, L. Hyde, J. Bartolo 27-17; G. Abberton, K. Stocker, N. Cartwright, C. Marshall 22-23; W. Harrison, W. Molloy might know.

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## CHURCH CRICKET

Altona Presbyterian v. St. Eanswythe's played at Ford Reserve.

**Altona Presbyterian 1st Innings 64.**  
St. Eanswythe's 1st Innings 5/95 (dec.)  
Trailing by 31 runs on first innings, Altona lost 4 quick wickets and were still 12 runs behind, a good partnership of 49 then lifted their hopes and they finished with 84. This left St. Eanswythe's 60 mins to score 54 for an outright win.

**Altona Presbyterian 2nd Innings:**  
Diener b. Peterson 4  
McLeod b. Holden 0  
G. Wilson r.o. 10  
Thompson Spd 30  
Garde 30  
Hitchcock c. Holden 0  
Peterson 0  
McKinney b. Holden 28  
M. Harris c.&b. Garde 7  
J. Harris b. Holden 0  
Hatfull b. Holden 3  
Bleazby n.o. 0  
Drane l.b.w. Holden 0  
Sundries 2  
TOTAL 84

BOWLING: Holden 5/23; Haskell 0/16; Peterson 3/14; Garde 2/5; Stephenson 0/23.

**St. Eanswythe's 2nd Innings:**  
B. Garde lbw Hitchcock 28  
J. Peterson n.o. 26  
Stephenson n.o. 0  
Sundries 1 for 55  
TOTAL 110

BOWLING: G. Wilson 0/22; Diener 0/29; Hitchcock 1/4; M. Harris 0/2.

St. Eanswythe's now have 20 points from 2 games.

Altona Presbyterian U16 v. St. Eanswythe's U16, at Ford Reserve.

**Altona Presbyterian 1st Innings — 5/95 dec.**  
St. Eanswythe's 1st Innings (res. 0/9):  
Grant lbw G. Wilson 10  
Patton b. G. Wilson 4  
Courtot b. Hitchcock 0  
Featherby b. G. Wilson 1  
Colbert b. Hitchcock 1  
Henry b. A. Wilson 7  
Stephenson lbw Jensen 6  
Morgan b. A. Wilson 0  
Naughton Spd 0  
McKinney, A. Wilson 0  
D. Wilson n.o. 0  
Reynolds c. G. Wilson 0  
A. Wilson 0  
Sundries 3  
TOTAL 32

BOWLING: A. Wilson 4/4; G. Wilson 3/19; Hitchcock 2/6; Jensen 1/0.  
Altona won on 1st innings by 63 runs.

**Altona Presbyterian 2nd Innings:**  
G. Wilson b. Featherby 19  
McKinney, retired hurt 10  
Hitchcock b. Featherby 1  
McLeod b. Patton 0  
A. Bowes b. Featherby 0  
T. Bowes n.o. 1  
G. Clarke n.o. 0  
Sundries 5  
TOTAL 4 for 36  
BOWLING: Featherby 3/22; Courtot 0/19; Patton 1/5; Henry 0/5.

## WESTERN SUBURBS DARTS ASSOCIATION

RESULTS ROUND 4:

Div. One —  
Bristol 7-6 Tottenham  
Melton 8-5 Gellibrand  
I.C.I. 12-1 Plough

Div. Two —  
P. of Wales 13-0 Newport  
R'way F'cray 7-6 Goodrich  
A.W.M.C. 8-5 R'way Y'ville

In round four the game between Bristol and Tottenham for top position was won by Bristol 7-6. In the game there were 15 tens and more scored, a very good game played in best sporting manners, and the game was a credit to both teams.

In division two, I.C.I. produced their best form beating Plough Hotel 12-1. This was I.C.I.'s first win, but not their last on this form. Goodrich lost their unbeaten record to R'way Footscray 7-6, so after 4 games there are only two undefeated sides, Bristol in Div. One,

## ALTONA B TURF

Altona 1st Innings — 88.  
MHSOB 1st Innings — 86.

**Altona 2nd Innings:**  
F. Kirk b. 0  
W. Thomas c. 0  
W. Bibby c. 0  
R. Gray b. 7  
R. McCullagh lbw 14  
J. Joyce c. 12  
L. Egan c. 8  
M. Orr c. 3  
B. Forrester r.o. 23  
J. Duncan c. 11  
K. Harvey n.o. 0  
Byes 5  
TOTAL 92

BOWLING: A. BENNIE 3 for 38. P. Smith 5 for 37.

**Melb. High School Old Boys 2nd Innings:**

F. Kilby b. 17  
A. McKenzie c. 11  
R. Trivett c. 28  
A. Bennie c. 7  
I. Hughes c. 9  
R. Tregonning n.o. 2  
M. Hughes n.o. 0  
Byes 4  
TOTAL 5 for 78  
BOWLING: F. Kirk 2 for 33. R. McCullagh 2 for 9.

Altona after leading by 2 runs on the 1st innings started off their 2nd innings drastically losing their openers in the first two overs for 2 runs. This then put pressure on the following batsmen. Ron McCullagh and Jim Joyce both put their heads down and started to consolidate the Altona batting.

After losing Ron for 14 and Jim for 12, Altona were in trouble again, then John Duncan and Bruce Forrester came together and compiled 33 runs for the 9th wicket. Bruce making 23 runs and John 11 runs. Altona were all out for 92, giving MHSOB 94 runs to make in 96 minutes. At the end of play MHSOB had made 5 for 78 falling by 14 runs, leaving Altona winners on the 1st innings, a good game played in difficult conditions.

Altona have won their first 2 games, but will need to have more concentration from their opening batsmen to start a foundation for a good score if they are to continue winning.

## ALTONA YACHT CLUB COMMENCES SEASON

Due to gale force winds on the bay there was no club racing conducted on Saturday.  
Fresh breezes gusting to 30 mph prevailed during a Sunday morning Windsor Trophy race. All classes were well represented and most of the races were well contested.

The Yacht Club has commenced the 68-69 season with renewed vigour, following the completion of extensions to the existing building. All members hope for a satisfying season.

Due to the increased interest of junior members, the Yacht Club has decided to support the Sabot class yacht and new members will be welcome.

**Results:**  
HORNETS —  
1. "Laphil" (E. Phillips, L. Laker); 2. "Jet" (J. Jones, P. Joel); 3. "Woome-ra" (J. Grieve, D. Philp). GP 14

1. "Whistable" (B. (Bob) Smith); 2. "Echo" (B. (Brian) Smith).  
HERON —  
1. "Harry-L" (L. Pound, I. Robertson); 2. "Andiamo" (G. Blunt, R. Burns); 3. "Biab" (T. Pearl, R. Pearl).

MOTH —  
1. "Felucca 2" (G. Tippet); 2. "3077" (G. Eagland); 3. "Felucca" (R. Tippet).

and R'way Footscray in Div. Two.

The presentation dance takes place this Saturday, November 2, at 8 p.m. till midnight and there will be no admittance without a ticket. All tickets have been sold.

## C. TURF

### Exciting Win to Altona

Altona resumed to the field with the score at 3 wickets for 19 runs. Play commenced with a slow scoring rate as wickets were frequently being captured by Warrick Heath and Bob Harrison.

Middle Park's 1st innings total only amounted to 52. Altona commenced its second innings and lost its 1st wicket at 14, when Captain Joe Grassby declared Altona's innings closed, leaving Middle Park to score 97 runs in 90 minutes.

The A's commenced well, having taken 3 wickets for only 4 runs, but gradually Park's batsmen began to get on top of the bowling and a real struggle began. Park realising they were batting against the clock, began to lash out.

In the final over of the day Park needed 8 runs and Altona needed 3 wickets for an outright victory.

"Skipper" Chalmers was elected to bowl the finale. The opposition make every stroke a run but in their desperation they had their hopes dashed by run-outs after some brilliant fielding by the A's which gave them a well deserved outright win.

Altona — 1st Innings 135. 2nd Innings 1-14 dec.

**Middle Park — 1st Innings 52.**  
Middle Park — 2nd Innings.  
Kingston c. Harrison 0  
Stumbris lbw Chalmers 3  
Pegg c. Heath 26  
Egan c. Harrison 0  
Howell lbw Cook 0  
Bourke lbw Chalmers 5  
Whitmore r.o. 16  
J. Pegg n.o. 0  
Holt b. Heath 12  
Williams r.o. 9  
Frazer r.o. 0  
TOTAL 92

BOWLING: Harrison 2/20; Heath 2/16; Chalmers 2/35.

## ALTONA NORTH LITTLE ATHLETICS

Results Saturday, October 26:

Niccole Whittman, the club's new star find was in record breaking form adding two more records to her list. Her jump of 1 metre 15 cm. broke her own record of 1 metre 13 cm. which she established only two weeks ago.

In her heat of the girls' Under 10 70m. she recorded 10.8 to set a new record.

A list of Nicolle's records are:  
High Jump: broken twice in three weeks. The 200m. and the first recorded time in the 800 metres walk, Nicolle competes in the Under 10 Section.

Gary Thompson continued his good form in the 800m. Under 10 event. His father who ran around the inside of the track yelling encouragement to Gary was not timed by the time-keepers, however his time was nowhere near Gary's. (2 mins. 56.6).

**Other Event Winners:**  
Boys Under 9 100m. — A. Dujong, S. Buxter, A. Anderson, P. Dicks, S. Vines.

Boys Under 9 800m. — A. Anderson, P. Clements.

Boys Under 10 800m. — G. Thompson.

Boys Under 11 60m. Hurdles — D. Bowler, L. Griffiths.

Boys Under 11 Discus — S. Faulds.  
Boys Under 12 60m. Hurdles — A. Yates.  
Girls Under 9 200m. — A. Thompson, L. Manger.  
Girls Under 10 70m. — N. Whittman, 10.8 record.  
K. Vines.  
Girls Under 10 High Jump — N. Whittman 1m. 15cm. record.  
The meeting was cancelled just before mid-day owing to bad weather.

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Amongst groups which have received a "break" or further encouragement to their work are the Triffard, formerly a house band, the Primitive Confined, still a regular group and thought to be the premier group in the western suburbs. Clovers from their regular appearances in the eastern suburbs, El Gamble, who has been appearing on television, Chris St. Nicholas and the Push, Everlasting Ends from Avondale Heights; Before and After from Glenroy; Soul Experience, another regular group; Chaperals from Altona and North Sunshine; Jimmy Howells from Sydney; Acheson Pains from North Sunshine; Kind of Love from Edithvale; Radil Fly. University of Melbourne; Bazaar from Preston; Darren Granger Set; Johnny Stevens, Mike and Gary Walker, direct from London; 54320NE, Pale Shade, Flavour, Spice of Life and Bass Drum.

The Essendon Town Hall dance is endorsed and supported by the Australia Associated Talent Guild — a business co-operative organisation in the field of popular music for the promotion and benefit of modern groups and artists. Further details are obtainable from Box 109, Hawthorn.

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## 21ST BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED AT CHURCH HALL

At St. Eanswythe's Parish Hall, Altona, on Saturday, October 19, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Marsh of Belmar Avenue, Altona, welcomed seventy guests to a party to celebrate the 21st birthday of their daughter, Cheryl.

Apologies were received from two old school friends Miss Joyce Smith of Armidale, N.S.W., and Miss Christine Kristiansen, who is at present in Oslo, Norway, visiting her father's homeland.

Cheryl's eldest brother, Mervyn, also was unable to be present but sent his congratulations from Noumea where he was spending his annual holidays. However, her second brother, Petty Officer Daryl Marsh came from Sydney for the special occasion.

The hall was decorated in pink and white and provided a gay atmosphere. Dancing filled a large part of the evening, music being provided by a dance band of which Mr. Marsh is a playing member. Added attractions were a program of hilarious entertainment by a well known Melbourne impressionist, Mr. Norm Hanvy, and folk-songs by Cheryl's cousin Mr. Rex Pickard of Clayton who proved very popular with his guitar. Some years ago Rex won his section in the finals of Australia's Amateur Hour in Sydney.

At the conclusion of a sumptuous supper, the Vicar, Rev. John Lawley, spoke in verse of Cheryl's link and activities with the Church and her other social and student activities.

Cheryl, who is already a trained Primary teacher with the Education Dept., is now completing an extension course at "Glen Donald" — the children's training centre for the deaf.

Shortly before midnight Cheryl was presented with a front door key, after which the singing of Auld Lang Syne completed a very happy evening.

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COMBES (Raworth) — To Faye and Robert at Altona and District Hospital, on October 27, a daughter, Genice. A lovely sister for Shane. Thanks to Dr. Higgs and Hospital staff.

COMBES — Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Combes proudly announce the arrival of their second grand-daughter, Genice, to Faye and Robert.

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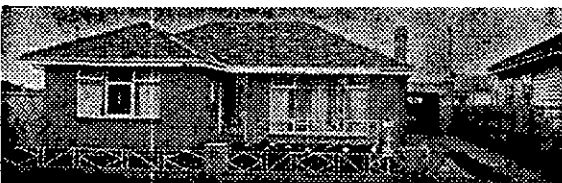
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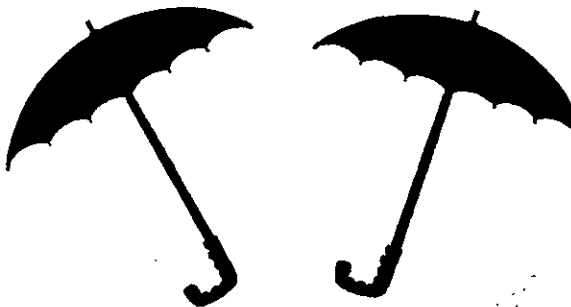
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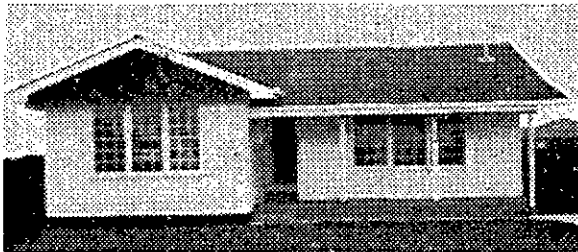
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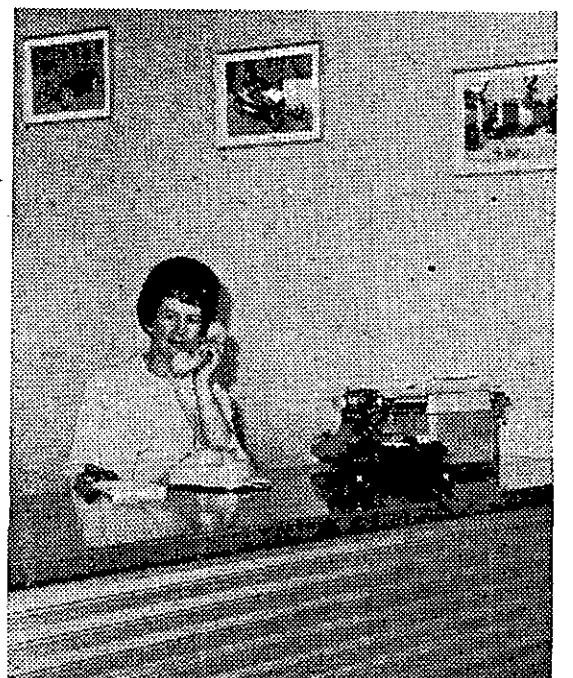
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